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#### We have attached:

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- 2) the first page of U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2007/0119584 A1 ("the '584 publicaton"); and
- a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application which was submitted on June 12, 2006, which shows four inventors, namely, Thomas Scherer, Torsten Schwan, Georg Muhlthaler, and <u>Jan Dittmar</u>. (emphasis added)

The first two items are incorrect in that they omit the fourth listed Inventor, Jan Dittmar, of Buxtehude, GERMANY.

Applicants respectfully request that the USPTO correct this error, and issue a corrected filing receipt and a corrected listing of all four inventors on the '584 publication.

The corrections are not due to any error by applicants. Therefore, no fee is due.

Nonetheless, if this request raises any questions the undersigned attorney asks that he be contacted by telephone.

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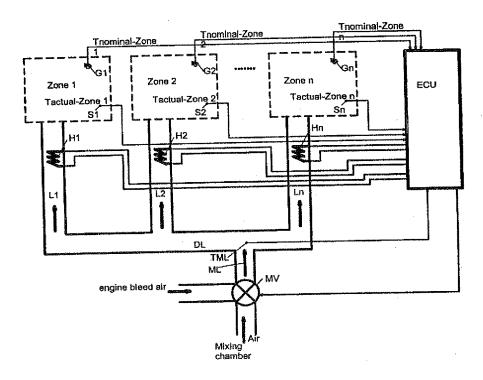
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#### ABSTRACT

A process for temperature regulation of sections of the interior of an aircraft with the following steps: recording of the respective actual temperatures and the respective nominal temperatures in the individual sections; mixing of engine bleed air and air which is cooler than the engine bleed air in order to obtain pre-tempered mixed air at a temperature which essentially corresponds to the lowest of the nominal temperatures recorded; distribution of the pre-tempered mixed air to all sections; and post-tempering of the mixed air distributed to the sections with higher nominal temperature corresponding to the differences between the respective nominal temperatures and the respective actual temperatures can be carried out in a device with a controlled mixer valve for the mixing of engine bleed air and air that is cooler than the engine bleed air in order to obtain pre-tempered mixed air flowing out of the mixer valve; to a distribution line connected to the outlet of the mixer valve which is connected to the respective sections by means of at least two supply lines; individual heating units assigned to the respective sections; sensors assigned to the individual sections for the respective actual temperatures and transmitters for the respective nominal temperatures; a regulator unit which controls the mixer valve dependent upon the respective nominal temperatures and the respective actual temperatures in the individual areas in such a way that the pre-tempered mixed air is of a temperature which essentially corresponds to the lowest of the nominal temperatures for all sections, and which controls the heating units assigned to the other sections corresponding to the differences between the respective nominal temperatures and the respective actual temperatures.



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